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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Examiner: Kim T. Nguyen

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For: ROYAL GAME AND METHOD OF PLAYING

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This paper is in reply to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated April 20, 2005.